



Catherine Kay Boykin

February 3, 1923 - April 11, 2017

Our beloved mother and grandmother, Catherine Boykin, passed into her heavenly home on April 11, 2017. She was born February 3, 1923 to Lou and Marjorie Graham. Catherine lived in Whatcom County most of her 94 years, enjoying many years on Lummi Island. She is preceded in death by her husband Hilton (Reb) Boykin of 57 years, her son Jerry Boykin, and her son-in-law Gordy Pederson. Kay is survived by her daughters Teri Pederson of Monroe, LA, Donna Saab (Al) of Ferndale, and daughter-in-law Janice Boykin of Birch Bay. Kay has 8 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Kay was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church in Ferndale. Per Kay's wishes, there will be a private family graveside service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Seattle's Children's hospital, 4800 Sand Point Way N.E. Seattle, WA 98105.

Tribute Wall

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“ Words are not sufficient to say what is in my heart. Kay was such an important part of my childhood years and the memories are too numerous to mention. She was quiet and humble...(but the truth be told)...she was a strong matriarch whose influence in visible in the love her family shows to one another. Heaven has welcomed a “good and faithful” servant. And, if God assigns us jobs— the gardens there are getting her special touch for eternity..

Nancy Haugness - April 11, 2017 at 12:00 AM